

## DEALERS MUST PAY U. S. LICENSE

Cannot Sell Certain Medicines  
Without Paying for Privilege.

### THE DECISION IS A HARDSHIP

Druggists Are Compelled Occasionally  
to Use Alcohol in the Filling of Pre-  
scriptions, but for This Privilege  
They Must Pay Dearly.

The commissioner of internal revenue, United States Government, ruled several months ago that, after December 1, patent medicines that are known to contain a certain per cent. of alcohol would be placed in the same category as intoxicating beverages.

After due consideration, however, it is understood this distinguished official has extended the time to January 1, in order that druggists may have an opportunity to dispose of such medicines now in stock.

Druggists as a rule feel that this decision will work quite a hardship upon them, as it requires the payment of a United States Government license for the dispensing of alcoholic liquors. It will fall more seriously upon druggists of a "dry" town, since a certain druggist has declared that it would seem prima facie evidence that the druggist had purchased the United States license for the purpose of dispensing intoxicating liquors, and that said action might be so construed by the county or local authorities, which would place a druggist subject to arrest at any time.

All druggists, in preparing prescriptions, at certain times must use alcohol, with the result that they must keep it on hand, and to do this they will be compelled to pay the government privilege of \$25 a year, besides being subjected to criticism for carrying a Government license.

To say the least, from the first of the year the druggists throughout the country will be subjected to an additional hardship, and those who feel disposed may accuse them of selling intoxicants under the protection of a Government license.

### LaGrippe and Pneumonia.

Pneumonia often follows laGrippe, but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cures laGrippe, coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Mr. G. Vacher, 187 Osgood street, Chicago, writes: "My wife had a severe case of laGrippe three years ago and it left her with a terrible cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. A 50-cent bottle cured her cough entirely." Refuse substitutes. J. W. McCollum & Company.

### General Gilchrist Here.

Among the prominent visitors to this city Tuesday was Hon. Albert W. Gilchrist of Ponte Gorda, one of the most widely known and most prominent and progressive citizens of South Florida. General Gilchrist represented DeSoto county in the House of Representatives in the last Legislature, and had the honor and distinction of being elected speaker of the House, which duty he performed with efficiency and impartiality. He has been spoken of favorably by many as the next candidate on the Democratic ticket for Governor, and when asked about the probability of his making the race, good-naturedly replied that he had not yet announced himself. Besides being a lawyer of broad reputation, General Gilchrist is also an extensive real estate owner in DeSoto county.

### Heart Fluttering.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c a bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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Cuticura Soap combines delicate emollient properties derived from Cuticura, the great skin cure, with the purest of cleansing ingredients and the most refreshing of flower odors. No other medicated soap ever compounded is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Thus it combines in one soap at one price the most effective skin and complexion soap, and the purest and sweetest toilet, bath, and nursery soap.

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap, 50c. (in form of Chocolate-Coated Pills, 50c. per box of 50). Ointment, 50c. each. Depot: London, W. Charleston St.; Paris, 8 Rue de la Paix; Boston, 127 Columbus Ave.; Berlin, 100 Friedrichstr.; New York, 100 Nassau St.

### WON PRIZE AND DIPLOMA.

O. C. Pedrick, Manufacturer of Buggies, Received Recognition.

O. C. Pedrick, the buggy and wagon manufacturer who had an exhibit at the State Fair, was honored by the judges in the form of the first prize in his line, which was a cash premium of \$25 and a blue ribbon and diploma.

Mr. Pedrick did not exhibit a wagon, but carried five "jobs" in high-grade buggies of his own manufacture, which he displayed in the Alachua county exhibit in the main building. This exhibit was one of the most attractive on the grounds and was admired by everyone who understood and appreciated something good in buggies. The judges had no hesitancy in awarding him the first prize, as they realized that the goods deserved it.

Mr. Pedrick succeeded in making three sales at the Fair, hence only two buggies were returned to Gainesville. Friends of this enterprising manufacturer are congratulating him upon his success.

### The Requisite of Beauty.

The first requisite of beauty is a clear complexion. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup clears a sallow, blotched complexion, as it stimulates the liver and bowels, and the eyes become bright and clear. You owe it to your friends to take it if your complexion is bad. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and it is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. J. W. McCollum & Company.

### MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL.

But Little Business Was Transacted by the Municipal Legislature.

The City Council convened in regular monthly session at the city hall Monday evening, but the meeting was devoid of anything of especial interest, very little business being transacted except the payment of monthly bills, the filing of a few officers' reports, and the passage of a resolution increasing the salary of J. E. Moyers, driver of the fire department, from \$35 to \$45 per month. It was the shortest session of the council known in many months.

### A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson of Masonville, Ia., "that for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at all druggists.

### BIG MELON CROP.

McLendon and Williams Company Will Plant Hundreds of Acres.

Among the visitors to Gainesville Monday was W. T. McLendon of Alachua, the boss watermelon grower of Alachua county. While Mr. McLendon does not pretend to know any more than a melon grower ought to know, the products of his farm have always enjoyed a reputation as being of extra quality, with the result that he has profited thereby.

Mr. McLendon states that he proposes to begin planting watermelons at the usual spring time, and will put in 100 acres, his usual crop. He states that the Dr. Williams Company, extensive growers, propose to plant this year about 200 acres of watermelons and 400 acres of cantaloupes, on their plantation near Alachua. This will give employment to a large force of hands.

### Furious Fighting.

"For seven years," writes Geo. W. Hoffman of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won, and cured my diseases by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommend them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold under guarantee to do the same for you, by all druggists at 50c a bottle. Try them today.

### INJURY TO A LAD.

Young Grover Osteen Fell From Roof of House and Broke Leg.

Information has been received in this city of a serious accident in which young Grover Cleveland Osteen, the 13-year-old son of J. H. Osteen, who resides in the northern section of the county, near Fort White, sustained a broken limb and from which he suffered a great deal.

Young Osteen, it appears, was on the roof of a house which was being re-shingled, when his foot slipped and he was precipitated to the ground, a distance of several feet. His left leg was broken just above the ankle. Dr. Geisen of Fort White was summoned and set the broken member and at last accounts the victim was resting as easily as could be expected under the circumstances.

### Remarkable Cure.

"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed O. Nud, Iowa, Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used. Have recommended it to a number of persons. All express themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

### Tax Notice.

We will meet the tax-payers at the following named places on the dates set opposite:

Archer—Wednesday, December 13.  
Newberry—Thursday and Friday, December 14 and 15.  
Trenton—Saturday, December 16.  
Donnie—Monday, December 18.  
Bell—Tuesday and Wednesday, December 19 and 20.  
Willeford—Thursday, December 21.  
Wade—Friday, December 22.  
Property owners will please take advantage of these appointments, thus saving themselves and us trouble and expense. Very respectfully,  
W. D. DICKINSON, Tax Collector.  
W. W. COLSON, Tax Assessor.

### In Mad Chase.

Millions rush in mad chase after health, from one extreme of faddism to another, when, if they could only eat good food, and keep their bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills, their troubles would all pass away. Prompt relief and quick cure for liver and stomach trouble. 25c at all drug stores; guaranteed.

## ORINO Laxative Fruit Syrup

Pleasant to take

The new laxative. Does not gripe or nauseate. Cures stomach and liver troubles and chronic constipation by restoring the natural action of the stomach, liver and bowels.

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As well as the Farmer: We want to say that we have Mules that will do your work. What we tell you about a Mule can be relied upon. We never misrepresent. WE DO WHAT WE SAY WE WILL DO. If you are our customer you know this; if not, ask anyone. They will tell you our word is our bond.

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Hatchett's Private Stock	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$6.00	\$12.00
Hatchett's That's Whiskey	4.50	4.50	6.50	13.50
Hatchett's Old Rye	3.50	3.50	4.50	9.50
Eureka N. C. Apple Brandy	4.75	4.75	7.00	14.00
N. C. Apple Brandy	3.25	3.25	4.50	9.00
Eureka Malt	4.00	4.00	6.00	12.00
Eureka N. C. Peach Brandy	4.75	4.75	7.00	14.00
N. C. Peach Brandy	3.25	3.25	4.50	9.00
Eureka N. C. Corn	3.25	3.25	4.50	9.00
Eureka N. C. Corn XX	3.00	3.00	4.50	9.00
Eureka N. C. Corn XXX	2.75	2.75	4.15	8.50
Eureka N. C. Corn XXXX	2.50	2.50	3.75	7.50
Old Crow Bourbon	4.50	4.50	6.75	13.50
Hermitage Rye	4.50	4.50	6.75	13.50
Sunny Brook Rye	3.75	3.75	5.00	11.25
Sunny Brook Sour Mash	3.75	3.75	5.00	11.25
Bobo Spring	4.50	4.50	6.75	13.50
Silk Velvet	5.00	5.00	7.50	15.00
Oak and	3.75	3.75	5.00	11.25

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